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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re National Stage Application of)
International Application No. PCT/FR2003/002846 of:)
Philippe ILEKTI et al.) Group Art Unit: 4161
Application No.: 10/528,699) Examiner: ORWIG, Kevin S.
Filed: November 21, 2005) Confirmation No.: 7150
For: NAIL VARNISH COMPOSITION COMPRISING A SEQUENCED POLYMER))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT

In reply to the Office Action mailed May 1, 2008, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments and remarks. This submission is timely filed on June 2, 2008, without a Petition for Extension of Time, as June 1, 2008, falls on a Sunday.

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper, beginning at page 2.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment section of this paper, at page 20.